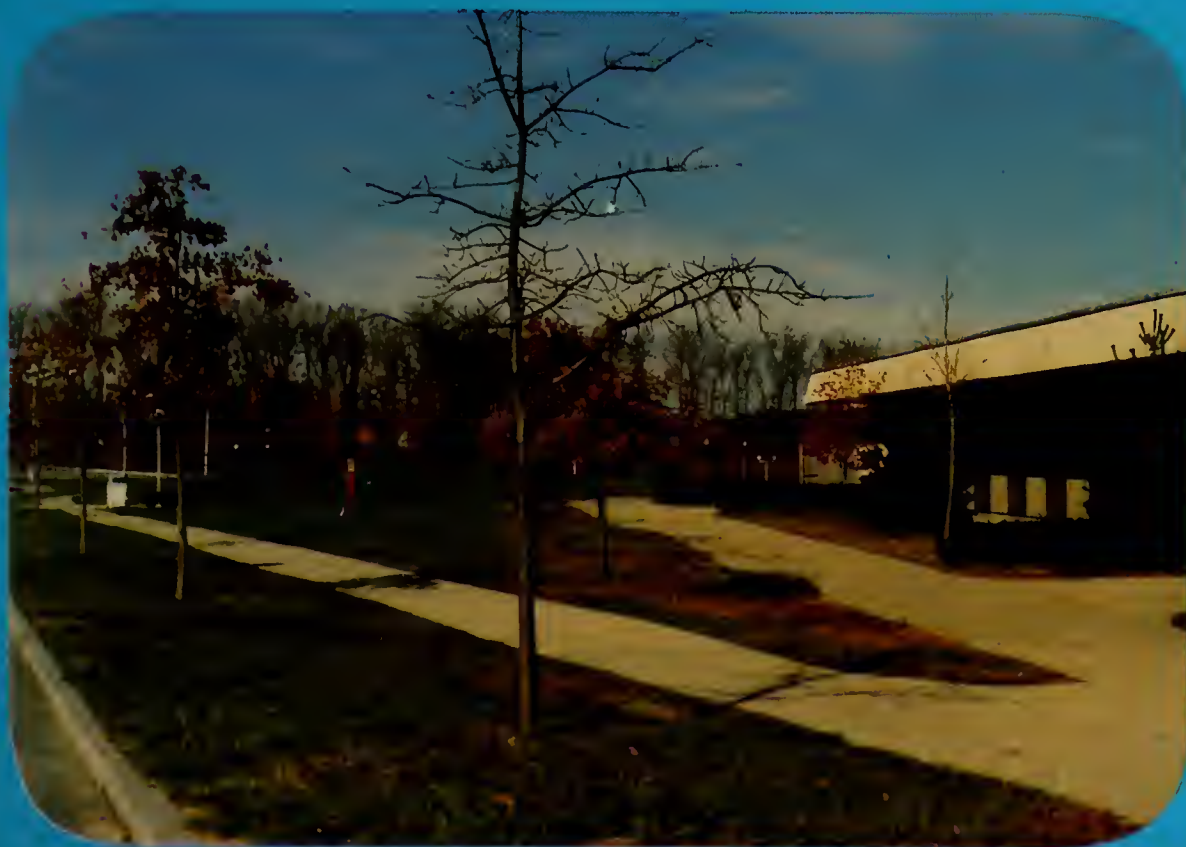
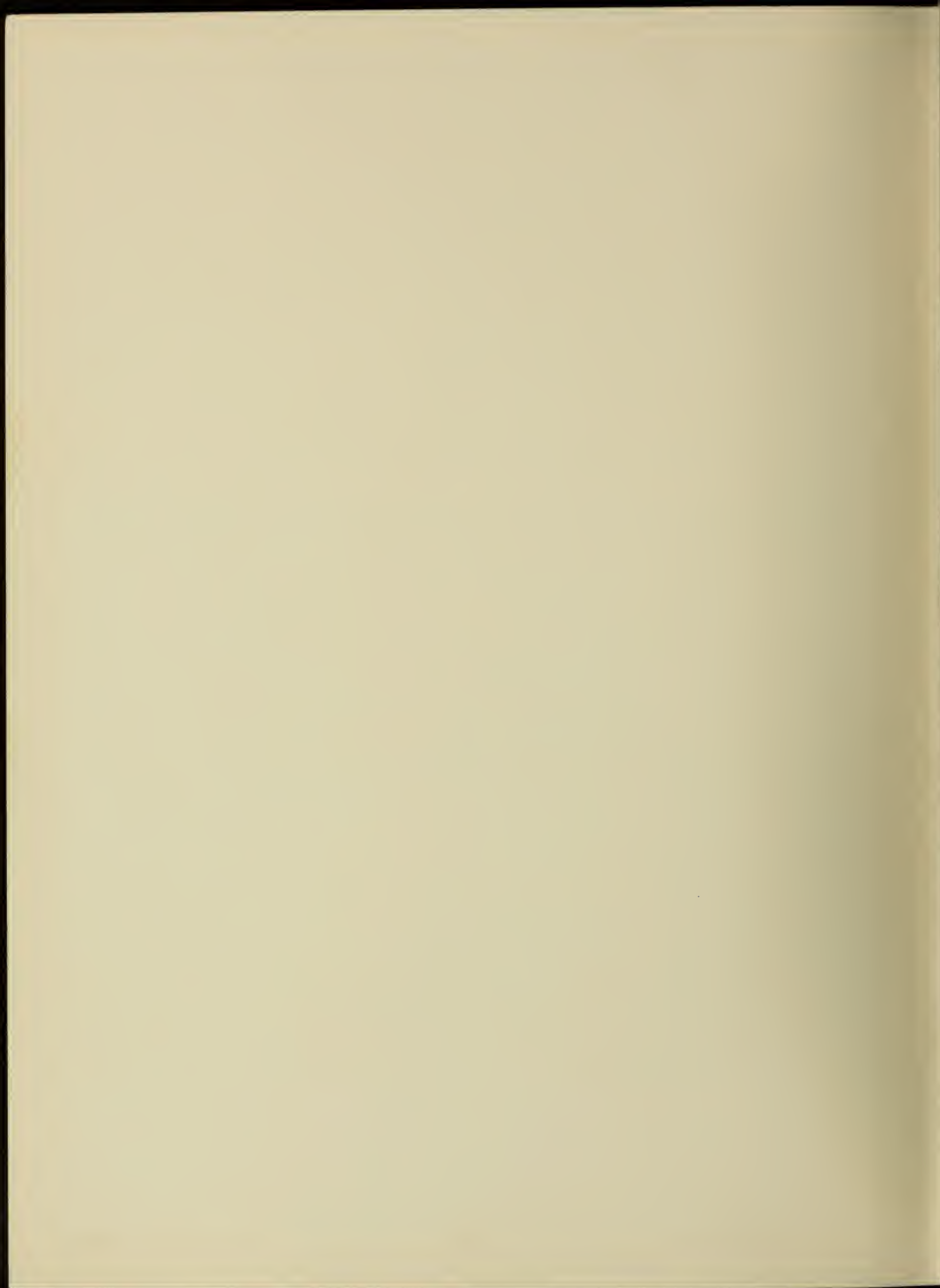




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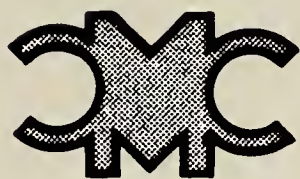


**CLASS  
OF  
'78**





# MASSASOIT COMMUNITY COLLEGE



Cover by June Chamillard



Dr. John Musselman, President of Massasoit Community College, is resigning his post as Chief Administrator of the college. Dr. Musselman, after ten years of dedicated service within the Community College system, is retiring. The class of "78" wish to express their gratitude and best wishes for a job well done.....





**President Musselman**







DEAN JOHN OTIS

We the graduating class of "78" wish to dedicate this yearbook to Dean Jack Otis; administrator, professor, friend and dedicated humanitarian. Through the past years, Dean Otis has spent many lengthy hours unselfishly responding to the needs of the student body, as a lifeline of communication throughout the college. It is with much gratitude and affection that we dedicate this yearbook to Dean Otis.







Many vital changes were to come about during the past two years at Massasoit. Our President for the past ten years, Dr. John Musselman, was to resign; there was a shuffling about of other Administrators at the college; the teachers, with the support of the student body, finally received a long-awaited and much deserved pay raise ; a threat of level funding was close to becoming a reality; the Latch Program (a program for students with special needs) was to become the model for the entire country; new programs and organizations came into existence; and at long last, four of Massasoits five new buildings were to be accepted.





As the campus grew in size and diversity, students grew in knowledge and maturity. Massasoit was a productive stepping stone for many in pursuing a dream of higher education.

As we leave Massasoit, we take with us two years of achievements, remembrances of many struggles, as well as warm memories of the educators, counselors, and fellow students who played a supportive and essential role in helping us to realize a dream.





There is a time for all seasons  
a time for sadness , a time for joy







#### PROLOGUE

This "Classbook of 78" was a challenge, one that many felt could not be met within the deadline. With just a few weeks and a limited, but dedicated staff to assist in the production and completion of the "Classbook of 78", we have met that challenge. Perhaps, at times, doubtful ourselves, but always persevering. What we lacked in quantity of staff, we were surpassed in quality.

To our two photographers, June Chamillard and Gene Cushing, who were always there, spending vacation time to assist in last minute photos, and for being at our beck and call, our heartfelt thanks to you both. Without you this would have remained just another unrealized dream.

To the administrators, instructors, and counselors who tolerated last minute invasions into offices requesting photographs or advice, our intentions were well meant. Thank you for your graciousness and assistance.

To the many of the student body, faculty members and administrators who were not available to be photographed because of the time element, our apologies to all.

And to our staff, though few in number, who worked long tedious hours to complete this book and meet a deadline, your efforts were greatly appreciated. Though this classbook, in all physical actuality was lightly staffed there were many others who played an essential role in the "Classbook of 78"; other students, faculty, counselors, and administrators who contributed ideas, photos, comments, and much needed support. This is our product of what these two years at Massasoit have meant to us. It has been a rewarding experience to have met the challenge, but more important to be able to share this memorable "Classbook of 78" with you.....

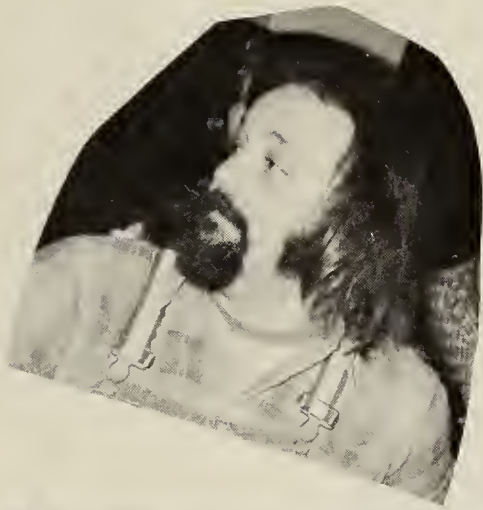
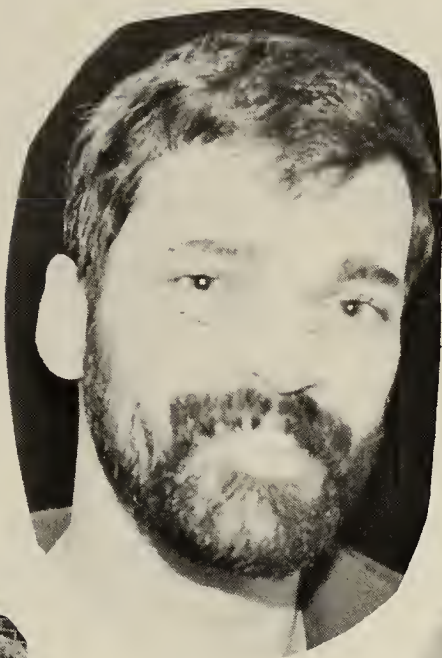
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STUDENT SENATE







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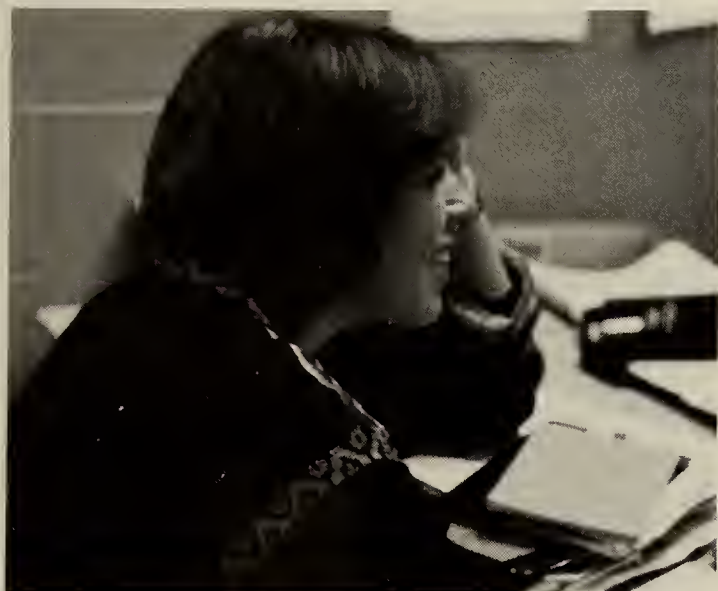
Marshfield's Flying Santa  
visited Massasoit



NEWSPAPER EDITORS



JANICE RIDGE "THE MASSANGER"



CELIE SVAGZDYS "THE ADEQUATE"



ROSE MARIE BAIR "THE VOICE"





# STUDENT FINE ARTS COMMITTEE PROGRAM

## MOVIE OF THE WEEK

A Jan Kadar film about one family's joys and sorrows and a love all families will want to share.

*Lies My*



Feature

Films

METRO-GOLDWYN-MAYER  
presents  
A GEORGE SCHLATTER  
FILM

**REDD  
FOXX  
PEARL  
BAILEY**

**"NORMAN...  
IS THAT  
YOU?"**

starring DENNIS DUGAN  
MICHAEL WARREN TAMARA  
co-starring JAYNE MEADE  
Screenplay by...



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Students. School



CELTICS TICKETS  
Boston Celtics  
at 1:45 P.M. Boston Garden

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MONDAY JANUARY 30, 1978- SUNDAY FEBRUARY 5, 1978

30 MOVIE OF THE WEEK "Lies My Father Told Me"  
Showtimes are 9:00, 11:00, 1:00, and 3:00 in the Lower Lounge. Also, at 7:30 P.M in the Purple Lounge.



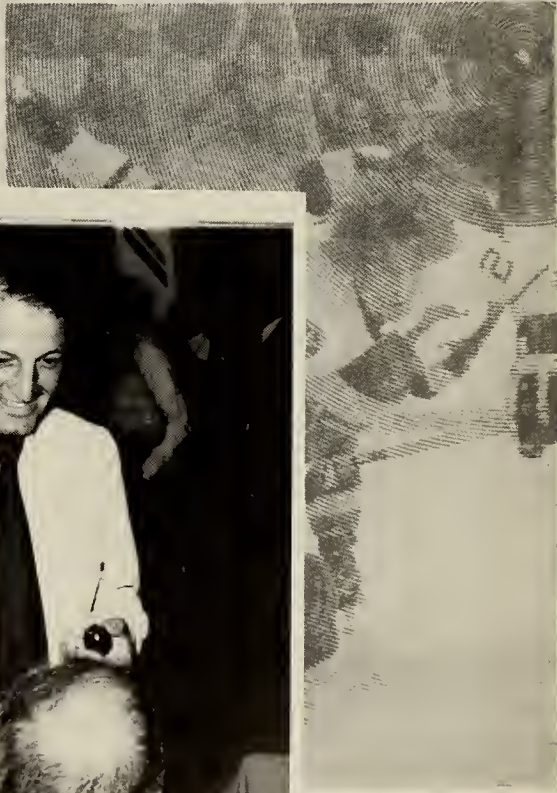
MASSASOIT COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS



6, 1978 Saturday, March 12, 1978

WEEK "Silver Streak", Showtimes 9:00, 11:00, 1:00, and 3:00 in the Lower Lounge. Also showing at 7:30 P.M in the Purple Lounge.

your mind!



Ed Monteiro, Director of Student Activities.

ICE for the 42nd edition of Shipstad's and Johnson's Ice Follies. Feb. 19, 1978 - 2 P.M. - \$3.25.

PHIA ets for March 12th game @ 1:45 on sale in the D.C.E. office of 1 dent Union Building. \$3.00 per person.

Last year's Stanley be playing again. h @ 7:35 p.m. a These also will b

available through Division of Continuing Education. \$3.25 per person.

A limited amount of tickets are available for "A CHORUS LINE" showing at the Shubert Theatre in Boston. Available week of Jan. 23, 1978 in Student Activities Office - G-18. The show is Jan. 27, 1978 - \$5.00 per person - Two tickets per Massasoit ID.

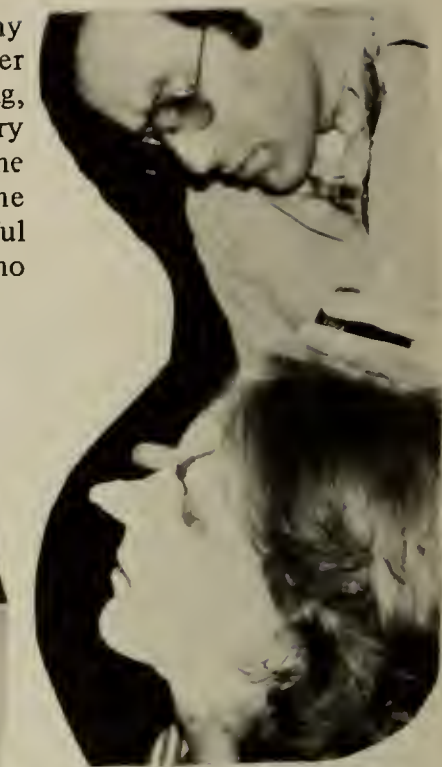


# Nobody Didn't Like

The Little Theatre Company of Massasoit entertained over 500 people, both little and big, on the weekend of February 4th. The show was "King of The Ice Cream Mountain", and the production was a sweet scoopful for the avalanche of kids who watched.



Kim Ekroth played Muffles,



The makeup by Kenn Anania, Carole Brady and Kim Ekroth added immeasurably to the visual delights

The cast of "Ice Cream Mountain" was polished and enthusiastic.

Director Vernon Behrens achieved the right amount of fantasy fluff to enthrall the young audience. His staging moved well and his stage design for the ice cream mine was, excuse the cliché, good enough to eat. Vernon's first directorial stint was a success.

Bob Norkus played Zeno, the Wizard, with a sort of relaxed intensity

Doug Bradt played King Bumpygruff — a man with ultra sore feet due to the fact that his shoes are on the wrong feet. Doug was consistently gruff and always a bit bumbly.





# Ice Cream Mountain



Adding to the fantasy were colorful costumes designed and executed by Mary Good.

Mary as the much-chased dragon.



Anne Joyce was the Princess Happy, and she lived up to her name. Anne's pretty face and svelt movements charmed the crowd.







"The Winners"

MASSA DAY  
1978



"GONG THAT GUY"



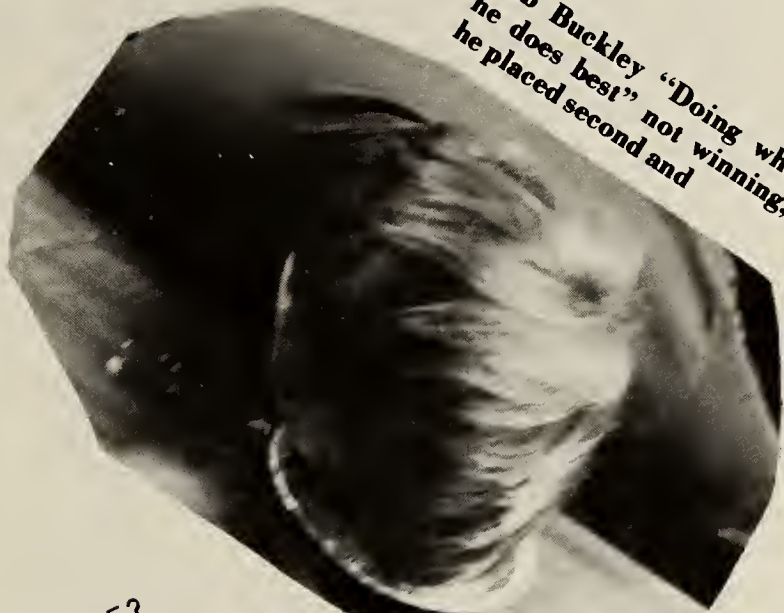
FULL HOUSE AT MASSA DAY



"Guitar Pickin" Dave Desley and Singer Kathy



Bob Buckley "Doing what he does best" not winning, he placed second and



PIE ANYONE?



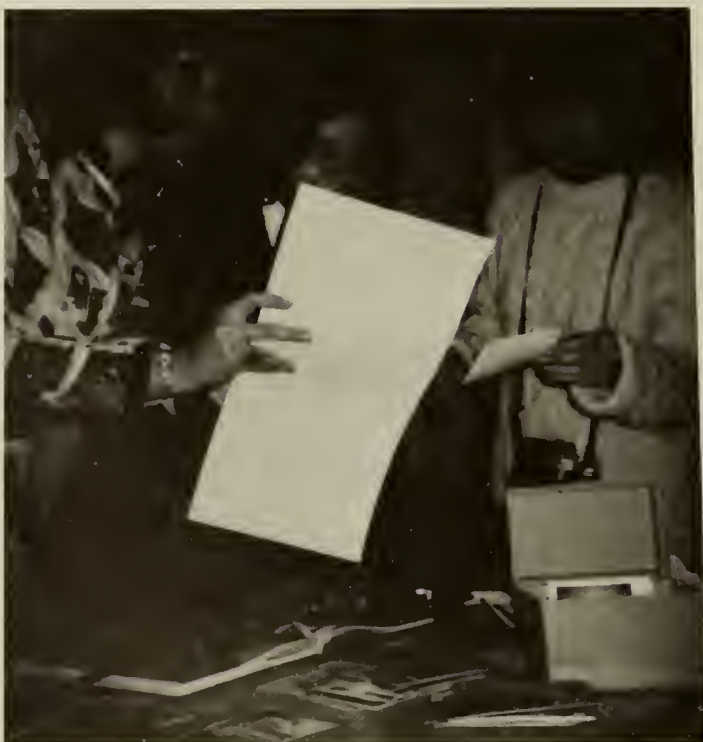
"O SOL A MIA"



"YOU HAVE TO BE KIDDING"



YEARBOOK STAFF





# FINE ARTS COMMITTEE

ANN HYMAN

CHAIRPERSON



TAKES YOU OUT

TRENT ARTERBERRY

“THE  
SCARLET  
LETTER”

Robert Bly

# THE HOBBIT

JOYCE PESEROFF



Entertainment





# "Zorba"

BACKSTAGE

Natalie Batchelder - The Widow

Carol Brady,

Gary Kashgagian

Mike Pevzner

Vernon Behrens

Bob Buckley

Chris Stewart - Chorus Leader

Roland Blair





Charles Cardoos

MARGARET CHASE



Ann Joyce - Hortense



Mary O'Brian

Anthony Pestilli - Zorba



Doug Brandt

Paul B. Fitzsimmons

George Nigro - Nikos







The Massasoit Little Theatre Co

presents

**ZORBA**



"Life Is"

Produced & Directed  
By

MICHAEL PEVZNER

"Bouboulina"



"For the First Time"



"Goodbye Canavaro"



"Butterfly"







"Grandpapa Dance"



"Happy Birthday"



"Dance"



"Keera  
Kee  
Kee"

"I am Free"

Cast gives Curtain Call





# POETRY

## "SENIOR POWER"

Age shall not be a barrier  
when experience teaches all  
so move over you Spring children  
here come we Citizens of Fall!

Customs no longer will dictate  
when we should gracefully with-  
draw,  
we firmly won't retire from life  
because of a "sixty-five" flaw!

Dignity always, our banner  
we gather to proclaim our right  
to question a society  
or why our budgets are so tight!

Peaceful people we always are  
look at us, you need not cower  
just be aware - anticipate -  
onward marches Senior Power!

*By June Chamillard*

The above poem was inspired  
by the Senior Seminar, spon-  
sored by the Women's Center,  
with Charles Niles, eighty-three  
years young, as the guest speak-  
er. Mr. Niles graduated last  
Spring from Suffolk University  
and is involved with the rights  
and equality of all Senior  
Citizens. Mr. Niles spoke on  
the topic of "The Fences That  
Senior Citizens Build Around  
Themselves".

## ONWARD BUT UPWARD

When I was six I dreamed I  
could fly  
At ten I dreamed when  
At fourteen I dreamed of war  
And when eighteen I dreamed  
of love and peace  
Now twenty four, I dream no  
more

*J.P.*

## The Battle To Be

There are times  
when all seems lost  
but you will smile  
at any cost  
nod your head  
when the answer is no  
there are cobwebs  
but you will let them go  
and

There are times  
when all seems won  
but you still feel  
your dreams aren't done  
and

you begin to think  
that you were cheated  
somehow the winner  
becomes the defeated  
and

There are times  
when you don't lose or win  
but simply try  
to make the out an in  
you will tilt your head  
so that you can see  
who keeps the score  
in this battle to be C.B.



## S T U D E N T S

### SPEAK

I spoke of ambition.  
You spoke of success.  
Together we spoke of  
Wisdom

I spoke of war.  
You spoke of peace.  
Together we spoke of  
Sadness.

I spoke of death.  
You spoke of Life.  
Together we spoke of  
Eternity.

*Gene Cushing*

### THIS MAN

Hollowed eyes within black rings,  
skin so shallow it slopes within  
structures strong, but weakness  
there  
old but young, afraid to care  
scrolls and stories prevade his  
mind  
Loss of self, in search of find  
no sense of being,  
no path,  
no time . . .



fall edition

Carrol Schofield

Patricia McGunnigle

1977

# IPSE DIXIT

MADONNA MULREY, EDITOR

I doubt. I deny.  
Then why, when the threatening sword  
Hangs over my proud head  
Do I forget my doubt  
And fly to you?

Thanks giving overdue  
Will you not think it odd  
To hear me plea  
Involuntarily  
"Oh, God!"?

Beaten to humbled knees  
I hammer at your door.  
Lord!  
Answer you frightened child  
Come home once more!



Laurie Tressler

Donna Mulrey

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Armando Barbosa

Rose Marie Bair

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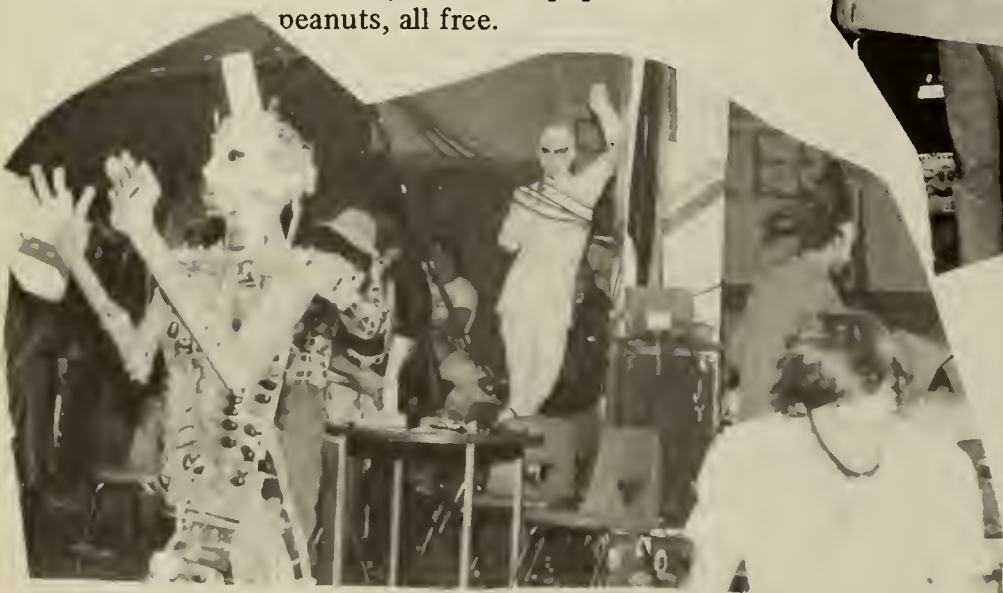


# Halloween Party Big Hit!

On Saturday, October 29th, the Rip Torn Society sponsored Massasoit's first annual Halloween Party from 8-12 PM in the cafeteria. A large turnout indicated that this party could very possibly be an annual event.



In addition to the beer, there was a table set up in front of the main vending machines with jugs of wine, loads of popcorn and peanuts, all free.





# Rivendell Coffee House

entertains

between 2 and 5

Last Friday, October 14th, the Rivendell Coffee House presented "Tirebiter", a talented musical group who had a few rocking from the rafters.

**Tirebiter**

Tamarac from 2-5 PM in the cafeteria on November 1977.

**Tamarac**

On Friday afternoon, November 4th, the Clayton Cummings Band sponsored by the Rivendell Coffee House appeared in the cafeteria from 2-5 p.m.

**"Clayton Cummings"**







# SO NEAR AND YET SO FAR

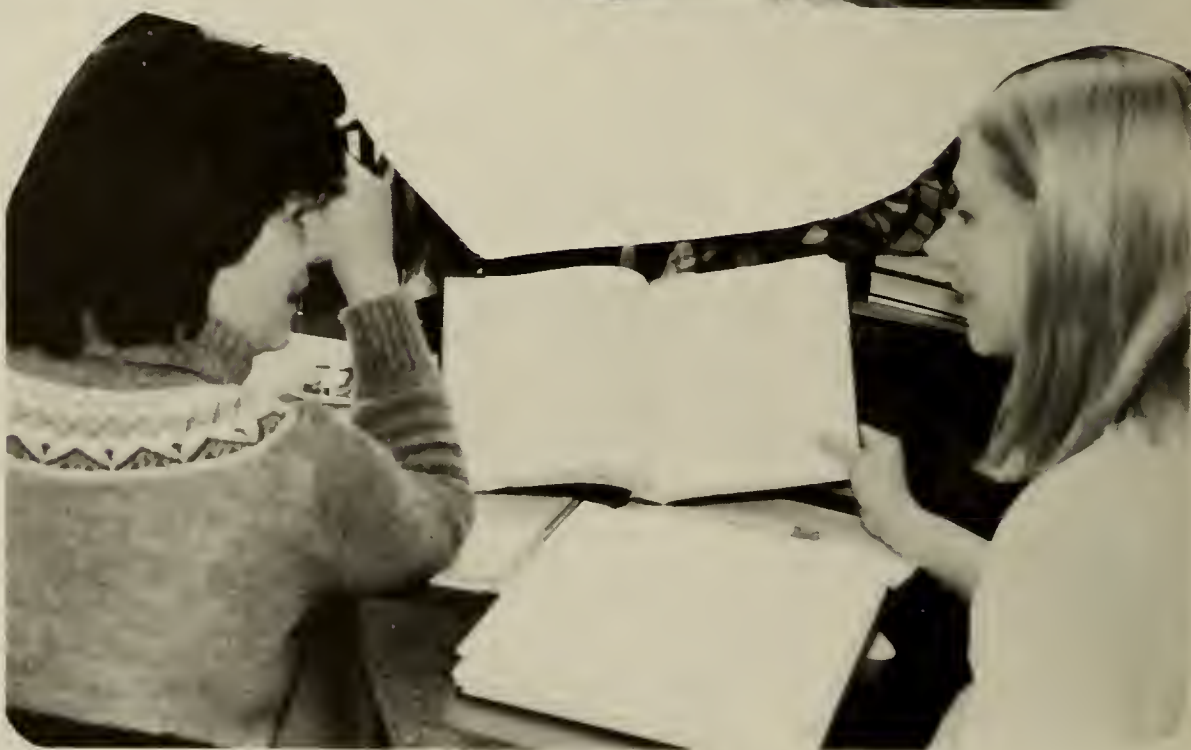








# ACADEMICS





# Faculty



Al Desrochers

"Do you know what I mean"?



Frank Clinton

"Is this a logic class or a pre-schoolers session?"



Richard Pepp

"O.K. This is what I hear you saying."

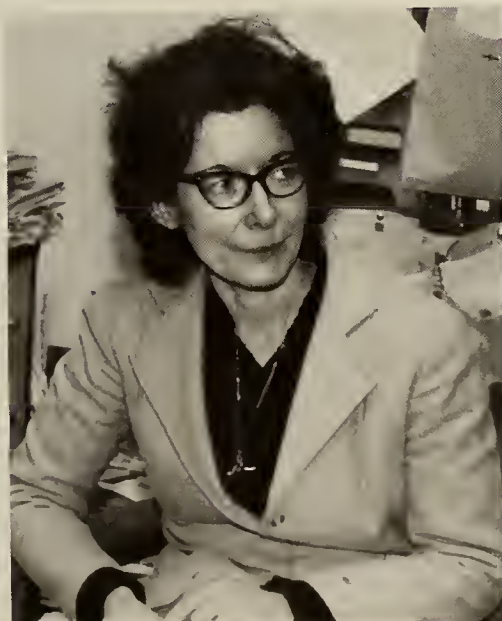
Kenn Anania

"Any questions.comma's, additions, or deletions"?



Jim Ventola

"How can I answer a rhetorical question?"



Dr. Maxwell

"A few more details and the paper will be fine"





John Chase



Ed Balis



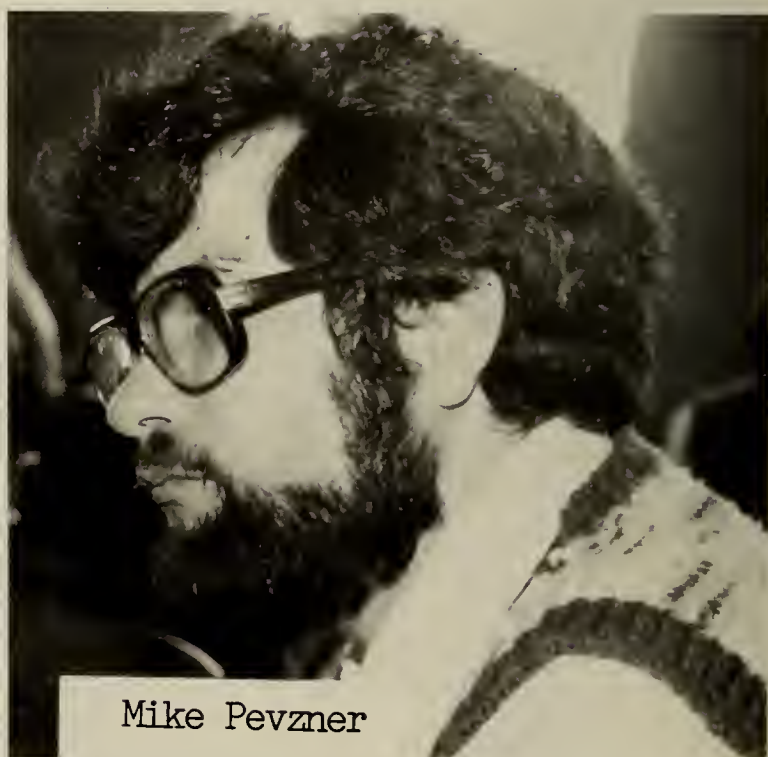
Kevin McWade



Jos. Kennedy



Dr. Delia Feeney



Mike Pevzner



Joe Cleary



Ivor De Silva



Sam Burchill



Dennis Fitzgerald



Paul Gore



John Joseph

"Chip" Downing



Harold Gay





Dr. Marilyn Maxwell

Coordinator of Latch



LATCH is a program for students of diverse backgrounds and ages who need additional assistance and support in meeting the academic requirements of the college.

Latch at Massasoit Community College, a program that has been in existence for five years, has been recently recommended to Paul Parks, Secretary of Educational Affairs, from the Massachusetts Minority Higher Education Advisory Council Sub-Committee on the Youth Employment and Demonstration Projects Act of 1977 as a model for implementation of the Youth Employment and Training Programs in Massachusetts.

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Debbie Travis

Latch Counselor





we've traveled through a thousand  
yesterdays  
in search of wisdom and truth  
we're just beginning today  
and then onward towards tomorrow!







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Paul Gorman, Psychologist



ELLEN LA VARNWAY,  
Health Care Counselor

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V.A. Counselor



GERRY GARVIN, COUNSELOR



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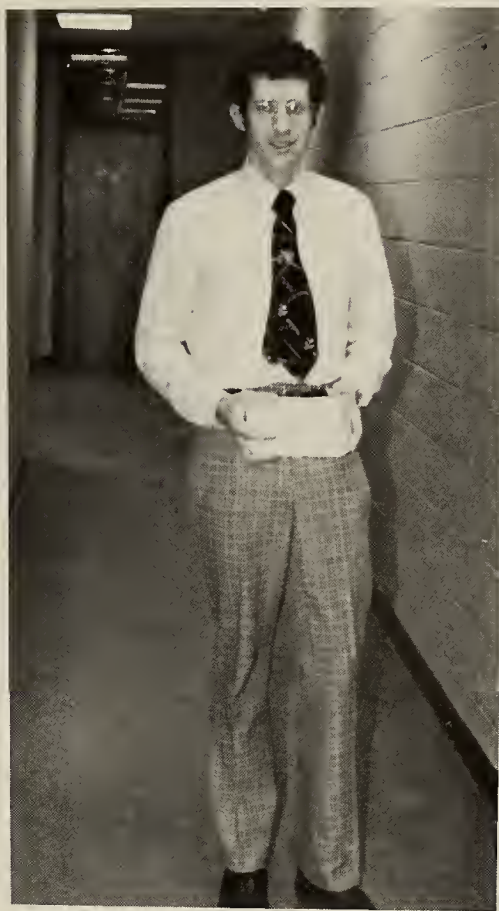


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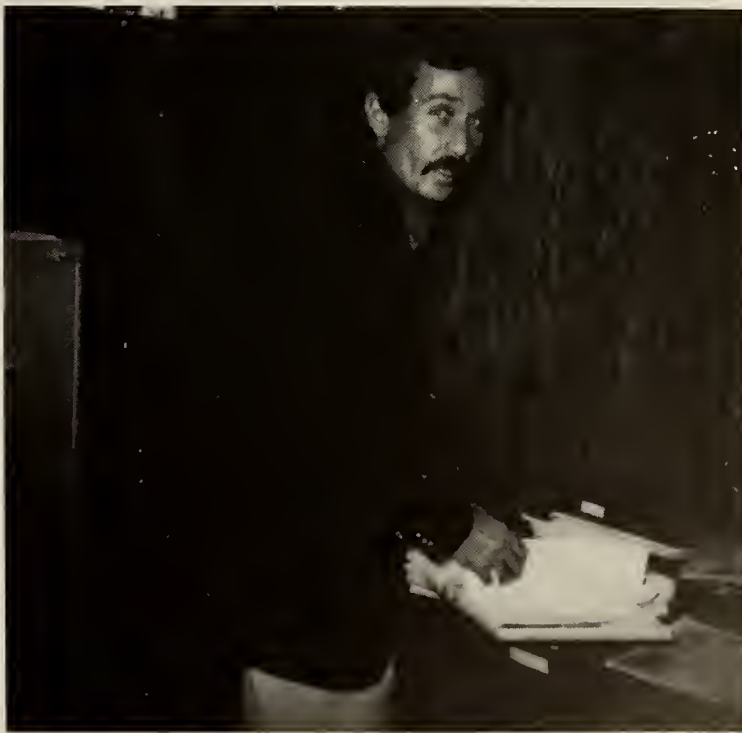
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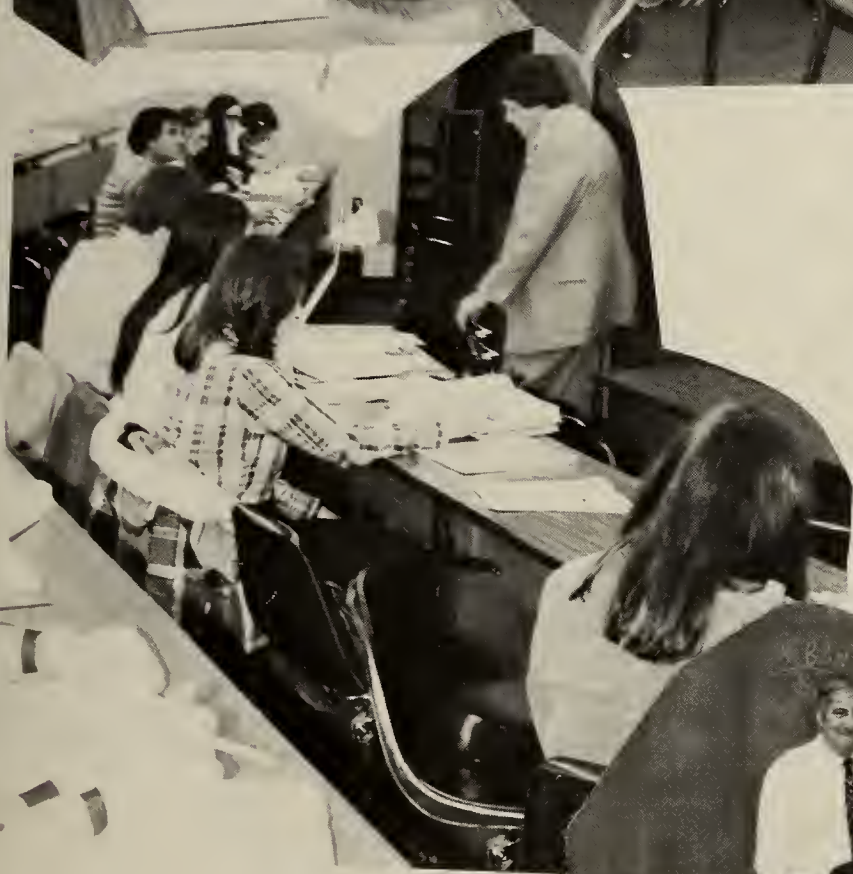


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# Classes





Women's Basketball headed

for N.E. Tourney



Soccer Team







BRUCE LANGLAN,  
ATHLETIC DIRECTOR

COACH RUSSO, SOCCER



# SPORTS





# MASSASOIT ATHLETIC



TOM ROGERS, HOCKEY COACH







**Carol Lowell**



**Mary Nickerson**

**All N.E. Second Team**



**Cheryl Metcalf**

**1st Team Honors**



**Declan Twohig**

**All American**

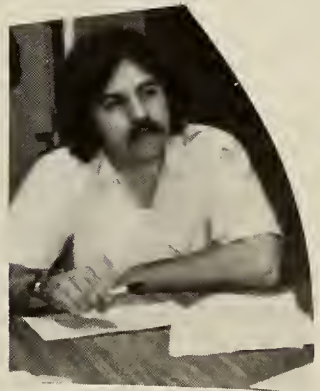


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ASST. SUPT OF BLDG.



LARRY HURLEY  
SUPT. OF BLDG.



BLIZZARD OF '78



To the Joggers, the Campers, the Skiers, the Bowlers, the Radio Station, the Jazz Coalition, the Vets' Club, the Chess Club, The Women's Center, Encore, the Christian Fellowship Club, those who became 'lifesavers' in the CPR course, the recipients of Green Key, Who's Who, and "Alpha Nu Omega" awards, and those others which have also been a part of the diversity and richness of the Massasoit experience, but which have not been represented photographically, OUR THANKS! And to Stephen Tooker, who shared his ideas and enthusiasm, as well as his much welcomed objectivity, and Ed Monteiro, who helped to clear the pathways when necessary, our gratitude and affection.

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